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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Schwarz
Serial No.: 09/733,306
Filed: 8 December 2000
For: *METHODS OF FACILITATING VASCULAR GROWTH IN CARDIAC
MUSCLE AND METHODS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF RECOMBINANT
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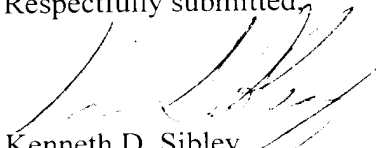
SUBMITTAL OF DECLARATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.63

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated February 27, 2001, enclosed is a Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above identified application which has been executed by the named inventors.

A check in the amount of \$65 to cover the surcharge under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) is enclosed. Any additional fee or credit may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

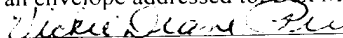
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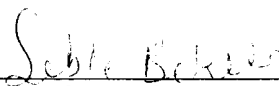
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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

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